

REMARKS

Claims 1-11 are pending and are rejected.

CLAIMS**Rejection under 35 USC 102(e) as being anticipated by US Patent Publication
US2002/0072326 A1 ("Qureshey")**

Responsive to the rejection of claims 1, 2, and 5-9 under 35 USC 102(e) as being anticipated by Qureshey, applicant has amended claim 1 to correct a typographical error and respectfully submits that Qureshey does not anticipate these claims because, as discussed below, Qureshey does not disclose or suggest a method for selecting a language in which on-screen displays are displayed and audio programs are broadcast by entering a single selection on an on-screen display as recited in independent claims 1 and 6.

Applicant has amended claim 1 to add the phrase "are displayed" following the recitation of the phrase "the on-screen displays" on the selecting step. Independent claim 6 does not have this typographical error. Amended claim 1, for example, reads as follows:

1. *A method for selecting a language in which on-screen displays are displayed and audio programs are broadcast on a receiver, comprising the steps of:*
accessing an on-screen display for the receiver; and
selecting a language in which the on-screen displays are displayed
and the audio programs are broadcast on the receiver by entering a single selection on the on-screen display. (Emphasis added)

As such, the selected language is used in displaying on-screen displays and in

selecting broadcast programs with the selected language.

By contrast, Qureshey discloses an intelligent radio, which allows a user to select Web Broadcasts in one or more particular languages. See paragraph 0033 on page 2. A user can use a select-language display 310 shown in FIG. 3C to select one or more languages in which Web broadcasts are received. See paragraph 0052 on pages 4 and 5. The intelligent radio also provides a select-broadcast display 340, shown in FIG. 3E, listing available Web broadcasts having the languages previously selected by a user using the select-language display 310. See paragraph 0054 on page 5. A user can select from the select-broadcast display 340 one or more Web broadcasts as preferred (or "fast-tune") broadcasts, so that the user may scroll through the fast-tune broadcasts by using a tuning control 114 shown in FIGs. 1 and 2, without having to activate the select-broadcast display 340. See paragraph 0054 on page 5.

However, the one or more languages selected using the select-language display 310 are only applicable for selecting audio programs. The selected one or more languages do not affect the languages used in an on-screen display. For example, regardless of what languages have been selected, the select-broadcast display 340 (may be relied upon as one of the on-screen displays) shown in FIG. 3E is displayed in English. In fact, if the select-language display 310 is also used to specify the language used in a display and assuming more than one language is selected, the select broadcast display 340 would have to be simultaneously displayed in more than one language, which is not the case here. Thus, Qureshey does not disclose or suggest the step of selecting a language in which on-screen displays are displayed and the audio

programs are broadcast on the receiver by entering a single selection on the on-screen display, as recited in claim 1. As such, claim 1, and dependent claims 2 and 5, are patentable over Qureshey.

Applicant strongly disagree that FIGs. 3B-3C, and paragraphs 0049 and 0050, disclose the selecting step, as alleged. As discussed above, the select-language display 310 is used to select broadcast audio programs, but is not used in specifying the language used in an on-screen display. Paragraphs 0049 and 0050 also do not disclose the selecting step as recited in claim 1; they mainly describe the menu items in a display 300 shown in FIG. 3A, and in a menu display 320 shown in FIG. 3B, in which the menu display 320 includes a menu item to activate the select-language display 310.

In light of the fact that Qureshey does not disclose or suggest a method for selecting a language in which on-screen displays are displayed and audio programs are broadcast on a receiver by entering a single-selection on an on-screen display, as recited in amended claim 1, applicant submits that amended claim 1, and dependent claims 2 and 5, are patentable over Qureshey.

Applicant submits that the arguments made above with respect to claim 1 are also applicable to independent claim 6 because claim 6 recites similar features as claim 1. As such, applicant submits that claim 6, and dependent claims 7-9, are patentable over Qureshey.

**Rejection under 35 USC 103(a) as being unpatentable
over Qureshey in view of US Patent No. 6,519,009 B1 ("Hanaya")**

Responsive to the rejection of claims 3-4 and 10-11 under 35 USC 103(a) as

being unpatentable over Qureshey in view of Hanaya, applicant respectfully submits that these claims are patentable over these two references because the two references, considered singly and in combination, do not disclose or suggest a method or apparatus including the feature of selecting a language in which on-screen displays are displayed and audio programs are broadcast on a receiver by entering a single selection on an on-screen display, as recited in independent claims 1 and 6, from which claims 3-4 and 10-11 respectively depend.

As discussed above, Qureshey does not disclose or suggest the feature of selecting a language in which on-screen displays are displayed and audio programs are broadcast on a receiver by entering a single-selection on an on-screen display, as recited in amended claims 1 and 6. Neither does Hanaya, which discloses a program switching device and a method thereof which allows users to select a desired program very swiftly with a simple operation by preliminarily initiating the receiving operation in accordance with a cursor movement on a control display without waiting for the determination of users. See col. 1, lines 41-47. Thus, Qureshey and Hanaya, considered singly and in combination, do not disclose or suggest the feature of selecting a language in which on-screen displays are displayed and audio programs are broadcast on a receiver by entering a single-selection on an on-screen display, as recited in amended claims 1 and 6. As such, claims 1 and 6, and respective dependent claims 3-4 and 10-11, are patentable over the two references.

CONCLUSION

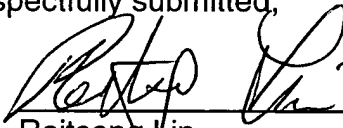
In view of the foregoing remarks and amendments, the Applicant believes that he has overcome all of the Examiner's basis for rejection, and that this application therefore

stands in condition for allowance. However, if the Examiner is of the opinion that such action cannot be taken, the Applicant requests that he contact the undersigned attorney in order to resolve any outstanding issues without the necessity of issuing another Office Action.

FEE

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